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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

Applicant's attorney, on behalf of the Assignee of record, hereby requests the issuance of a Certificate of Correction for the following Applicant errors pursuant to 35 USC §255, and for the following Patent Office error pursuant to 35 USC §254:

Correction is requested for the following Applicant errors:

Specification, Col. 1, line 30, after "replaced", change "of" to --or --.

Specification, Col. 3, line 33, after "separates", delete - - a - - .

Specification, Col. 5, line 37, after "optical fiber 305", delete - - and - - .

Specification, Col. 5, line 42, after "306", delete - - and - -.

Claim 14, line 37, before "third", delete - - a- -.

of Correction

Correction is requested for the following Patent Office errors:

Specification, Col. 4, line 61, change "falloff" to - - fall-off - - .

Specification, Col. 4, line 64, change "falloff" to - - fall-off - - .

Approval and entry of the above corrections is respectfully requested.

Any fees due as a result of this request for certificate of correction may be charged to the undersigned attorney's PTO Deposit Account #50-1047 accordingly. Also filed herewith is PTO Form 1050, duly completed.

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 1

Line 30, after "replaced", change "of" to --or --.

Column 3

Line 33, after "separates", delete - - a - -.

Column 4

Line 61, change "falloff" to - - fall-off - - . Line 64, change "falloff" to - - fall-off - - .

Column 5

Line 37, after "optical fiber 305", delete - - and - - . Line 42, after "306", delete - - and - -.

Claims

Claim 14, line 37, before "third", delete - - a - - .

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